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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Kyekyoon Kim, et al. )  
Serial No. To Be Assigned ) Examiner  
Filing Date: Herewith ) Group Art Unit No.  
For Microparticles )

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please amend the application as follows prior to examination on the merits.